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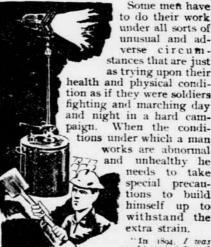
Location Selected Yesterday by Robert E. Lee Association.

The site of the proposed statue to Gen, Robert E. Lee has been selected, the place court house and in close proximity to the old Lee homestead at Arlington. The location was made by the Robert E. Lee Monimental Association, an organization formed for the perpetuation of the name and fame of the confederate chieftain. The place selected is near the Military road eading to Fort Myer and Arlington, and s convenient to the electric railroad running to Falls Church. An equestrian statue

of Gen. Lee is to be erected there. A party crossed the Aqueduct bridge yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock in busses for the purposes of selecting the site, among the number being Mrs. Florence Vance, Mrs. Andrew M. Kennedy, Mrs. Magnus Thompson, Mrs. Edward M. Gadsen, Mrs. Albert Akers, Mrs. Sprigg Beit, Mrs. Russ Smith, Mrs. Robert Hunter, Mrs. William B. Matthews, Mrs. S. B. Stepherson, Mrs. A. A. Lipscomb, Mrs. Heth, Mrs. Margaret Towson, Miss Virginia Miller, Miss Matthews, Miss Bird Washington, Miss Nina Stephenson, Miss Eugenia Goodwin, Mr. D. K. Trimmer, Mr. George P. Robinson, Mr. Blair Lee, Mr. W. S. McKean, Mr. A. Lipscomb and Mr. John G. Capers, After the decision was reached a tem-A party crossed the Aqueduct bridge yes

After the decision was reached a tem-porary organization was perfected and the

MIGHTY HARD WORK.



stances that are just as trying upon their health and physical condition as if they were soldiers fighting and marching day and night in a hard cam-When the conditions under which a man works are abnormal and unhealthy he needs to take special precau-tions to build himself up to withstand the withstand the extra strain.

extra strain.

"In 1804. I was working at night and I broke out in lumps all over and when these left the skin peeled off." says Mr. John A. Calloway, of 218 26th St., Columbus, Georgia in a recent letter to Dr. R. V. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y. "I had catarth for four years and also liver and kidney trouble; when it would commence troubling me I would have a slight aching a little below the chest. I used many kinds of medicine but received no benefit. My eyes were sunken and my face was pale; I had pimples on my face and there was brown spots on my face. Now these are all gone. I took six bottles of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and two of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and two of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and two of Dr. Pierce's Golden the and I do believe that I am entirely well. I have a good appetite but before I commenced treatment I had no appetite at all. Now I am like a child—ready to eat at any time of day or night. Last year I weighed one hundred and thirty-four pounds and now I weigh one hundred and forty-five. Please accept my thanks. I am so glad I found the right kind of medicine."

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ANOTHER FOR DOYLE

New Yorks Inflict Crushing Defeat on the Senators.

IRWIN'S MEN COULDN'T PLAY BALL

A Pretty Bad Exhibition of the National Game.

CURRENT SPORTING NOTES

Today's Schedule, Washington at Brooklyn. Baltimore at Boston. New York at Philadelphia. Cincinnati at Pittsburg St. Louis at Cleveland.

Record of the Clubs.

Today's New York Herald has the following to say of yesterday's New York-Washington game:

"Of all the 'yellow' games of base ball that have ever been played, the one the Senators put up against the Giants yesterday afternoon at the Polo grounds will take rank among the 'yellowest.' A nine from Prospect Park could have done just as well, or, rather, as poorly as the Senators did.

"They tried two pitchers, Baker and Dun-

kle, and they were marks. The way the Giants banged their pet shoots was a sight. Baker lasted two innings and Dunkle went through the agony of the remaining seven. "But to ineffective pitching the Senators added the most awful fielding. More awful, indeed, than the score shows, owing to the liberality of the league's scoring rules. Many a ball was driven at the Washington

Many a ball was driven at the Washington infielders that they couldn't handle, and therefore had to be scored as hits under the rules. But clean infielders would have made outs of them all.

"However, the Giants won the game by the phenomenal score of 19 to 1, and individually fattened their batting averages. The game the Giants played, besides its terrific hitting features, was sharp and clean, though there was room for improvement in the base running. Coakley pitched, and pitched well, and was given almost errorless support.

less support.

"The first inning was uneventful, but in the second the Giants touched Mr. Baker up for eight runs. Smashing hits were made by Gleason, O'Brien, Coakley, Doyle and Grady. It was biff! bang!! smash!!! all the time. Baker clipped in a base on balls. Cassidy perpetrated the usual error, and the game was one-sided in a couple of minutes. For the Giants, Grady, Gleason and Hartman did some of the biff! bang!! smash!!! business in the fourth, and three runs resulted. A couple of errors, a couple of hits and Hartman's great line drive for of hits and Hartman's great line drive for three bases over Siagle's head in center sent in two runs in the fifth, and hot drives by Van Haltren, Davis and Doyle landed a

ouple more in the sixth.
"There was some more of the fierce hit-ing and a little rank fielding in the ninth, with the result of four additional runs for

with the result of four additional runs for the Giants.

"The Senators made their solitary run in the fourth, and it came of the inevitable base on balls. With one out, Hulen went to first on balls, and, after Davis had taken Freeman's fly, so did Heydon. Then Dun-kle landed a liner in center field and Hulen secret. "And when finally Gettman closed the

game with a weak rap to Davis the spec-tators wondered what could possibly be the motive of the Washington team in going around the country masquerading as ball players.
"The game, by the way, was the fourth

in the series, so that the Giants, in winning, made it four straight.'
The score:

New York, R.H.O.A.E. Washington, R.H.O.A.E. VniII t'n, cf 1 2 1 0 0 Slagle, cf... 0 2 1 0 1 Davis, ss... 3 2 5 5 0 Gettman, 1b 0 0 11 0 0 Doyle, 1b... 2 2 6 1 0 Mercer, 1f... 0 1 1 0 0 Grady c, 4 3 5 1 0 Cassidy, 3b, 0 0 3 2 3

Totals.....19 20 27 13 1 Totals..... 1 6 24 11 10 Washington...

Earned runs New York, S. First base on errors—
New York, 6; Washington, 1. Left on bases—New
York, 10; Washington, 9. First base on balls off
Conkley, 6; off Baker, 2; off Dunkle, 2. Struck out—
By Conkley, 2. ov Dunkle, 2. Three-base hits— Consey, 6; oft Baker, 2; oft Dunkle, 2. Struck out-By Coakley, 2. ov Dunkle, 2. Three-base hits-Hactman, Foster, Two-base hit Grady, Stolen bases-Doyle, Grady (2), Cassidy, Double play-Da-vis and Doyl. Wild pitch Dunkle, Passed ball-Heydon, Umjfres Messrs, Gaffney and Andrews, Time of game 2 hours and 20 minutes.

St. Louis, S; Cleveland, 1.

The St. Louis club played its first game in Cleveland yesterday since the transfer, and easily defeated the home team by the score of 8 to 1. Young pitched finely for the visitors, while Stivetts did well for the home club until the eighth, when he weakened and five runs were made. Score-

and five runs were made. Score:
Cleveland. R.H.O.A.E. St. Louis. R.H.O.A.E.
Dowd, cf... 0 2 1 0 0 Burkett, If. 2 2 1 0 0
Harley, If... 0 0 5 1 0 McKean, ss. 2 2 1 0 0
Quinn. 2b... 0 0 1 0 1 Heidrick, rf 0 0 2 0 0
Cross. 3b... 0 0 1 0 0 Childs, 2b... 1 2 2 3 1
Sockal'sis rf 0 1 2 0 0 Wallace, 3b 1 0 3 6 1
M'Allister, ss 0 0 0 3 0 O'Connor. c. 1 1 2 1 1
Tacker, 1b. 0 1 15 0 0 Tebeau, 1b... 0 1 14 1 0
Zimmer, c... 1 0 2 0 6 Blake, cf... 0 1 1 1 1 0
Stivetts, p. 0 0 0 4 0 Young, p.... 1 1 3 0

Totals..... 1 4 27 14 1 Totals..... 8 19 27 15 3 Earned runs St. Louis, 3. Left on bases Cleve-and, 6; St. Louis, 4. First base on bulls—Off Stiv-tts, 4; off Young, 1. Struck out—By Young, 2. hrve-base hit—McKenn, Sacrifice hits—McAllister,

Baltimore, 4; Philadelphia, 2, The Phillies went down before the Baltimores on their own grounds yesterday, the Orioles winning by the score of 4 to 2. Both

teams fielded perfectly, but the visitors batted Fifield at opportune times and thus
 won.
 Score:

 Baltimore.
 R.H.O.A.E.
 Phil'd'Iphia.
 R.H.O.A.E.

 Medraw.
 3b 2 3 0 1 0 Thomas, cf. 0 0 2 0 0
 Holmes, df.. 1 2 2 0 0 Cooley, lb... 0 0 7 0 0

 Brodle, cf... 0 1 3 0 0 Del'h'ry, lf. 1 2 3 1 0
 Brodle, cf... 0 1 5 5 0
 Brodle, cf... 0 1 2 0 0 Lajole, 2b... 1 1 5 5 0

 Kelster, 2b. 0 1 3 5 0 Flick, rf.... 0 1 2 0 0
 Lachance, lb 0 1 13 7 0 0 Lauder, 3b... 0 0 4 4 0
 Maxeson, ss... 0 0 0 4 0 Douglass, c. 0 0 2 1 0

 Robinson, c. 0 2 1 1 0 Cross, ss..... 0 3 2 3 0
 Robinson, c. 0 2 flield, p... 0 1 0 1 0
 *Chiles...... 0 0 0 0 0
 won. Score:

Totals 4 13 27 17 0 Totals 2 9 27 15 0

Earned runs—Baltimore, 3: Philadelphia, 1. Stolen bases—McGraw, Holmes. Two-base hits—McGraw, Holmes, Sheckard, Keister, Kitson, Delahanty (2), Cross. Home run—Delahanty. Sacrifice hit—Lauder. First base on bails—Off Fifield, 1. Struck out—By Kitson, 1: by Fifield, 1. Left on bases—Baltimore, 8; Philadelphia, 7. Umpires—Messrs, Swartwood and Warner. Time of game—1 hour and 55 minutes.

Cincinnati, 5; Pittsburg, 2. The Cincinnatis paid their first visit of

the season to Pittsburg yesterday and found the Pirates an easy proposition, the Reds being winners from the start, the final score being 5 to 2 in their favor. An error by Donovan in the first inning let in two runs and McCreery's wild throw in the second added another to the Reds' score. The fielding of Reitz and Ely was the feature of the game. Score:

Ture of the game. Score:

Pittsburg. R.H.O.A.E. Cincinnati. R.H.O.A.E. Donovan, rf 1 2 1 0 1 Selbach, cf., 1 1 4 0 0 M'Cart'y, lf 0 0 4 0 0 Smith, lf... 0 0 2 0 0 M'Creery, cf 0 1 1 0 1 Miller, rf... 0 0 0 0 0 Clark, 1b... 0 0 14 0 0 Stelaf'dt, 2b 1 3 3 4 0 Williams, 3b 0 0 0 1 0 Corcoran, ss 1 1 2 2 0 Bow'man, c 1 2 0 2 0 Irwin, 3b... 1 1 0 5 0 Ely, ss.... 0 0 2 5 0 Beckley, lb. 0 1 13 1 0 Ely, ss.... 0 0 2 2 5 0 Beckley, lb. 0 1 13 1 0 Selbach and the selb Totals..... 2 8 27 17 2 Totals..... 5 9 27 14 0

the season, but was prevented by rain. The Gallaudet team is strong, having played a good game all through the season, and hav-

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Tannebill, 3; of Taylor, 3. Struck out—By Taylor, 2. Impires Messis, Hunt and Connolly. Time of game—1 hour and 55 minutes.

There is some excuse for poor batting, out continued poor fielding shows carelessness or worse. As Bill Joyce would say "they need a club."

Weak pitching will demoralize the best of clubs. Baker and Dunkle were easy to hit yesterday, and as a result the ball went to the infielders like a bullet from a rifle. Good pitching makes fielding easy.

The Senators move over to Brooklyn

oay, and it would be just like base ball for the Washingtonians to win one or more games. The Brooklyns have no excuse for osing, and four straight defeats should be the senatorial repast for the next four days President Young says that he has reelved at headquarters but very few pro test against his umpires; in fact, a less number than ever before at this time of the year. The reported protests are simply

But four hits were made by the Clevelands yesterday against "Cy" Young, and two of them came from the trusty bat of Tommy Dowd. From reports that come out of the west. Tommy is playing better ever this season, his batting and fleiding being of the gilt-edged order. The way Dunkle and Baker were batted

The way Dunkle and Baker were batted yesterday indicates that another shifting of the outfield will be recessary, that Mercer may return to the pitcher's rubber. "Winnie" can still pitch good ball, but he requires good fielding back of him to prevent going to pieces. With the Cincianatis or Boston Mercer would be a wonder.

And Jack Doyle says he thinks a great deal of Earl Wagner! No friend would rub it in as Capt. Doyle did yesterday. Five or eight runs would have been enough, but 19!

Think of our old-time enemies, the Baltimores, lingering around the .500 per cent when, before the season opened, everybody had them carrying the water everybody had them carrying the water bucket for the league procession. A good captain is everything. Take little McGraw, Robison or Joyce and place him in charge of a band of "dead ones," and they will

turn out winners. Harry Davis was given his release yester dcy, and will go to Providence of the East-ern League. Davis has been fielding all right, but his batting has been poor. If Manager Irwin is going to release his men for poor batting he will have only Jim Mc-Guire to fall back on, Base ball is booming in two of the west-

ern cities of the National League—St. Louis and Chicago—and is in a healthy condition in Cincinnati and Pittsburg.

Casey, the midget third baseman, was given a gold watch and chain and a diamond locket by his Lawrence. Mass., friends when he played in Boston the other

day. Word comes from New York that the erratic Andrew Freedman has decided to trade Jouett Meekin for a younger pitcher. Here is a golden opportunity for Tom Burns to strengthen the only weak spot in the Chicago team. Burns can afford to give Taylor, Phyle and a cash bonus for Meekin and their have the better of the bar-gain. But it is safe to predict that Freedman will never consider much less accept, any offer from the Chleago management.—Chicago Inter-Ocean. 33
Alderman Fowler introduced his base ball

ordinance in the Chicago city council Mon-day night, and it was referred to the judi-ciary committee. It prohibits the sale of clary committee. It prohibits the sale of more tickets to games than there are seats in the inclosure, and provides that the seats must be covered so as to protect the occupants from sun or rain.

The management of the ball club must provide policement at the rate of \$3 a day, as follows: Where the number of persons present does not exceed 3,000, no fewer than ten policement, over that number, one additional officer for each 500 persons present. On all holidays, Sundays and Saturdays there must not be less than thirty-five officers on duty. Each and every violation is punishable by a fine of not less than \$100 nor more than \$100, and each and every ticket sold or each and every admis-

every ticket sold or each and every admis-sion fee charged for which a seat is not provided shall be considered a separate and distinct violation. The ordinance is regarded by many mem-bers of the council as impracticable and unreasonable, and as beyond the powers of the city council so far as the employment

GEORGETOWN TO PLAY GALLAUDET.

Meeting of the Two Local College
Nines Tomorrow.

The undefeated Georgetown base ball team will play tomorrow afternoon the strong team from Gallaudet College. This game was scheduled to be played early in proclamation calling for the women of other countries to express themselves in favor of the universal peace plan.

It was decided yesterday to call upon the following ladies for addresses: Mrs. J. Ellen Foster, Mrs. Kate Waller Barrett, Mrs. Ellen Spencer Mussey, Mrs. Belva A. Lockwood, Mrs. Caroline Kent and Mrs. M. E. Hartsock. Mrs. M. C. Terrell will read the resolution upon which action will be taken and Mrs. Mary S. Gist will read the czar's proclamation calling for the conference.

ing tied Johns Hopkins for the Maryland-The Georgetown team is in good condition, having rested four days last week. This week Phil King has been working the boys hard, preparatory to the northern trip, which begins next week.

Casey will play first base, Capt. McCarthy having been called home for a few days by

having been called home for a few days by sickness in his fam'ly. TIED WITH GALLAUDET.

Johns Hopkins to Play the Kendall Green Team Saturday. The Johns Hopkins University base ball eam will play the Maryland Agricultural College in Baltimore Saturday morning in their concluding game of the intercollegiate championship series. Hopkins stands tied for first with Gallaudet of this city. Should Hopkins and Gallaudet each win their remaining games they will meet again to

settle the claims to the title LOCAL TROTTING MEETING. ontests on the Half-Mile Track of

Brightwood Park. The local trotting season was inaugurated yesterday afternoon, when a very successful matinee was given at the Brightwood Driving Park. Three events composed the card, the heats being best three in five at half a mile. John R. Kelley was the starter, the timing judges being Charles

The following is a summary of the day'

racing:

2.50 trot and pace; half-mile heats; purse \$100.
Virginia Boy, b. g., by Signet (Baldwin) 3 1 1 1
Pamilico, Jr., sr. h. (Bedford) 1 2 3 2
Eclipse, blk. g. (Morrew) 2 3 2 2
Time, 1.25, 1.18 1.17, 1.16.
2.35 trot and pace; half-mile heats; purse \$100.
Adah Wells, sr. m., by Dundee (Shugrue) 1 2 1 1
Pat, gr. g. (Bedford) 2 1 2 4
Cadence, br. m. (Nicholson) 4 3 4 3 4
Sorrel Dick, sr. g. (Smithson) 3 4 3 3 3 adence br. m. (Nicholson). 4 3 4 2 2 orrel Dick, sr. g. (Smithson). 3 4 3 3 Time, 1.13½, 1.12, 1.13, 1.15. 2.25 trot and pace; half-mile heats; purse \$100, hawford, sr. g. (Lang). 1 1 2 1 acen Bess, br. m. (Nicholson). 4 2 1 4 rincess Orloff, b. m. (Dugan). 2 3 3 2 tot, b. g. (Shugrue). ot, b. g. (Shugrue). Time, 1.14½, 1.13½, 1.10½, 1.12.

BICYCLE RACE MEETS.

Dates Granted by the League of American Wheelmen. Fred. Gerlach, chairman of the L. A. W racing board, has made the following an nouncement:

The following race meets have been sanc tioned: May 30, Herman Wie, Amsterdam N. Y.; May 30, Syracuse Athletic Associa tion, Syracuse, N. Y.; May 12, Eastburn Athletic Association, Philadelphia; May 30, Mahonoy City Athletic Association, Limited, Mahonoy City, Pa.: May 12, Friends' Central School, Philadelphia: May 13, Haverhill High School Athletic Association, Haverhill, Mass.; May 13, Al. Haynes, Fall River, Mass.; April 29, Brown University, Providence, R. I.; May 30, Dorsey, Weymouth, Mass.; May 30, Osgood and Coolidge, Gardner, Mass.; May 6, Williams College Athletic Association, Massachusetts; May 6, Hartford High School Athletic Association, Hartford, Conn.; October 4, 5, 6, 7, H. A. Keith, Brockton, Mass.

FAVOR DISARMAMENT.

Resolution Approving Czar's Project to Be Considered. Representatives of women's organizations

of the District at a meeting yesterday afternoon in the First Congregational Church, 10th and G streets northwest, completed arrangements for holding a public mass meet ing next Sunday at 3 o'clock p.m. at the same church, at which resolutions favoring the czar's universal disarmament plan will be presented for consideration. The meet ing to be held is in response to a call sen out last March by the women of Paris and Berlin, who are much interested in the project, and who are using their best ef-forts to influence the women of other counCOSTLY COMMUNION SERVICE.

Expensive Gems.

Rev. Joseph F. Mackin, pastor of

Paul's Catholic Church, this cfty, has succeeded in collecting enough gems to make what will be one of the most costly communion services in America. A Star's informant said: "This work was all done by Father Mackin, who has devoted his entire time to his congregation and the complete equipment of his church. He began gathering the materials for the chalice soon after he was appointed to establish St. Paul's parish. After keeping up the work for some time, Father Mackin was taken sick and the collecting had to be suspended.

"On the 11th of last March Father Mackin announced that he would resume the col-lection, and he has obtained enough gold and jewels to make a superb chalice and enough silver to make the ciborium and plate. The jewels consist of about 200 pearls, many diamonds, a number of rubies and other rare stones. There were more than 200 donors. The gifts are nuggets of gold and silver and old coins and fewelry many pieces of the last named being family relics, each with its own little tory. Many are heirlooms handed down

for generations in some of the oldest families of the country,
"One magnificent gift—a cross of diamonds—will adorn the front of the chalice, retaining its exquisite setting. Among the many gifts are souvenirs of brave men who have given their lives in defense of who have given their lives in defense of the flag, among the last being a gold pencil taken from the body of a soldier in the Mexican war and a ring from the hand of a volunteer who died on the battlefield in

A Copperhead Killed in the City. To the Editor of The Evening Star:

While out walking last Sunday the writer encountered and killed a young polsonous snake of the copperhead species (agkistrodon contortrix). The exact locality was on the east side of the gorge adjacent to "Lovers' Lane," and within a few hundred yards of a thickly populated residence portion of the city. The copperhead is quite rare in the Dis-

trict, in fact, many have claimed that it had long since become extinct. The pres-ence of this young specimen is proof that apply to agents and dismissed the charge.

they are still with us, and should cause those who frequent the woods, especially those who frequent the woods, especially in rocky localities, to be on the qui vive. There is no cause for alarm, however. During a residence of about eight years in the District, I have taken almost weekly rambles in the woods and by-ways for miles around, and this is the first and only copporting of the countries. Chalice, Ciborium and Plate Made of

perhead I have en every person should be distinguish it from the harmless kinds. The prevailing color of the upper part of the copperhead is fawn. At intervals between the head and the tail are dark cinnamon or chocolate-colored blotches, shaped not unlike dumb bells. The underparts are unlike dumb bells. The underparts are whitish, with a row of dark spots along each edge. In young specimens the colors are bright and the markings prominent. In adults the reverse is true, except when the old skin has been replaced by a new one. About one inch of the tail of the young snake is light green. The length of full-grown specimens is about two and one-half feet, rarely over three feet. The head is

wholly fawn color, flat and rather broad, with a well-defined neck. An infallfole proof of the poisonous character of a snake is the presence of an open-ing or so-called "pit" between the eyes and the nostrils, but not in direct line. Every poisonous snake in North America, except one species in the south, has this "pit." If you see this distinguishing mark, you may be certain that the reptile is armed with poison fangs. They are situ-ated in the front part of the jaw on either side, and may be seen by prying the snake's mouth wide open, when they will appear at right angles to the jaw. The copperhead is a vicious snake, and

strikes without warning, generally from zig-zag folds, and not from a coil. The venom is believed to be less virulent than that of the rattlesnakes or of the tru moccasins.

The particular snake which called forth this article is now preserved in alcohol, and may be seen at 511 14th street northwest. May 10, 1899. CHARLES H. COE.

Does Not Apply to Agents.

Mr. Albert F. Fox, the real estate agent, was tried in the Police Court today on a charge of failing to connect a house with sewer and water accommodations. He was charged as the agent of the property and the case was brought by the health officials to test the law. Attorney E. H. Thomas appeared for the defendant.

Judge Kimball held that the law did not

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